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SHO-0042

 Application No.
10/697,081-Conf. #9728

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October 31, 2003

 Examiner
E. M. Thomas

 Art Unit
3714

Applicant(s): Kazuo OKADA

Invention: GAMING MACHINE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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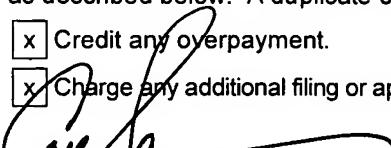
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated November 28, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-5 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1, 4 and 5 are amended.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)